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CHAPTER 26

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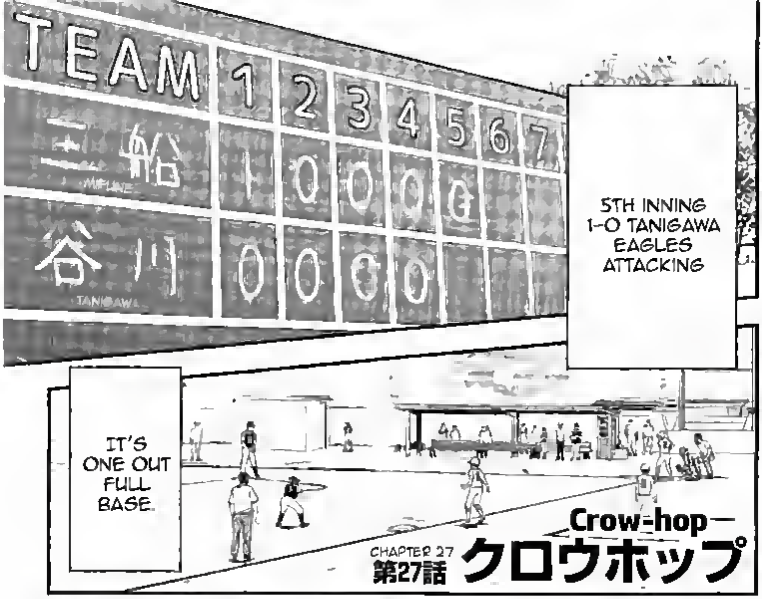
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CHAPTER 27
第27話
Crow-hop
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IT'S THE
CHANCE FOR
GETTING TIE
POINT WITH A
SACRIFICE
FLY...

CHAPTER 27

第27話 Crow-hop クロウホップ

T/N: A CROW HOP IS A SMALL JUMP IN THE AIR THAT HELPS YOU GET MOMENTUM AND GATHER YOURSELF TO MAKE THE STRONGEST THROW POSSIBLE! YOU CAN USE IT FOR FLY BALLS AND GROUND BALLS.

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AH! STOP. IT'S NO GOOD AT ALL.
TRY THROWING A LITTLE HIGH RIGHT BALL AT ME FROM THERE.
TO SEND A FAST RETURN TOSS TO HOME BASE, YOU HAVE TO PAY ATTENTION TO CATCHING POSTURE FIRST.

OK!
NOW WATCH MY MOVE-MENTS CAREFULLY.
FIRST YOU TAKE 2-3 STEPS BACK FROM WHERE THE BALL DROPS,
AND THEN YOU DASH,
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AND YOU PLACE YOUR BODY'S WEIGHT LIKE THIS..
RUN TOWARD THE BALL, BRING YOUR RIGHT SIDE TO THE FRONT SO THAT YOU CAN CATCH THE BALL FASTER

ALSO,
OF COURSE THERE'S A KNACK IN THE WAY YOU THROW
THEN THROW IT
I... I SEE
BY PLACING YOUR BODY'S WEIGHT YOU CAN EVEN COVER FOR A WEAK SHOULDER
JUST AS I TOLD YOU BEFORE, LONG SHOTS AREN'T NECESSARY IN A REAL MATCH,
NEITHER CAN THEY BE USED IN ANYTHING OTHER THAN WARMING UP IN THE TRAINING
THE BASICS OF THRO-WING IS...

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TO THROW A STRONG BALL IN LOW ORBIT ONLY
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ALSO, BY PRACTICING THIS LOW, STRONG THROWING, YOU'LL TRAIN YOUR SHOULDER TOO.
THERE'S NO NEED TO BE PARTICULAR ON NO-BUNT BALL,
THIS WAY WILL REACH SOONER, YOU CAN LEAVE IT TO THE CUT MAN OF RELAY TOO.
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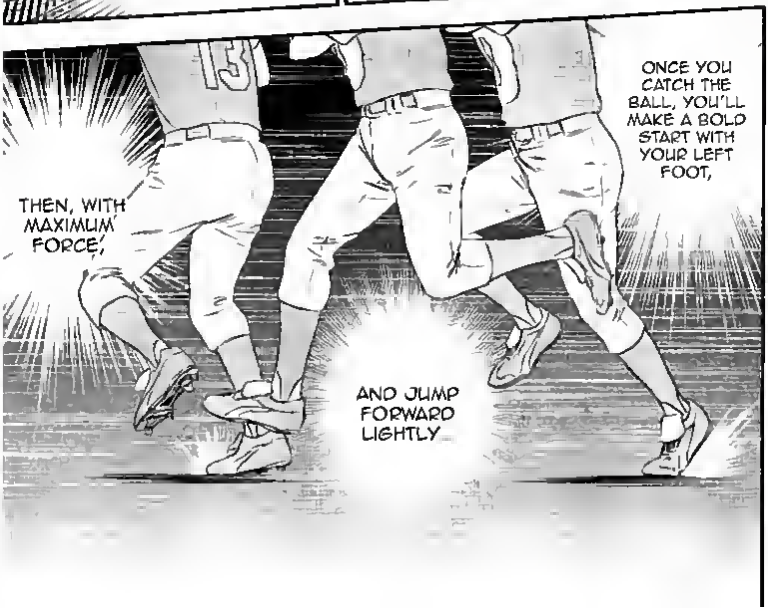
BUT, IT'S IMPOSSIBLE TO MAKE YOUR SHOULDER STRONGER IN THIS SPACE OF TIME UNTIL THE MATCH
BOY'S BASEBALL RUNDOWN TIME IS 4 TO 5 SECONDS
IF YOU MAKE A CORRECT, FAST RETURN TOSS, EVEN IF THE BALL BUNTS IT'S IMPOSSIBLE TO STRIKE IT

GO!!
AS FOR STEPS THERE'S AN OUTFIELDER SPECIALTY SKILL CALLED CROW-HOP.


ONCE YOU CATCH THE BALL, YOU'LL MAKE A BOLD START WITH YOUR LEFT FOOT,
THEN, WITH MAXIMUM FORCE,
AND JUMP FORWARD LIGHTLY.

WITH THE INTENTION OF PITCHING FORWARD EVEN IF IT MAKES YOU FALL, PUT YOUR BODY'S WEIGHT ON THE BALL AND SWING YOUR HAND.

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*T/N THE SFX OF FALLING DOWN
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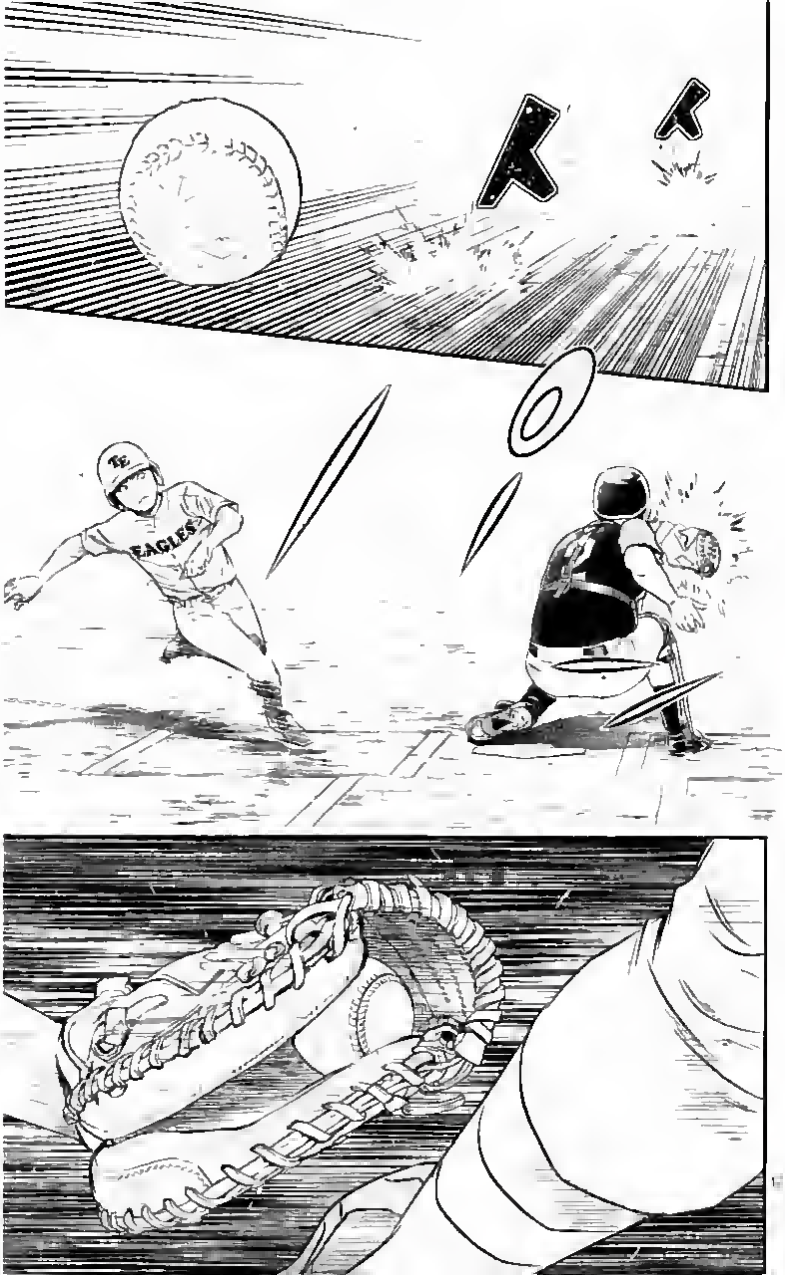
IT WENT THROUGH, KATSUMATA !!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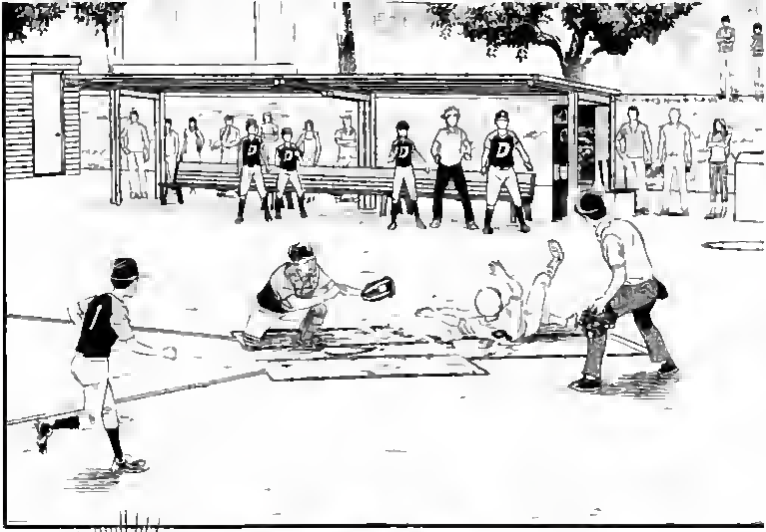

AH, I THREW IT AWAY
I THREW IT IN THE RIVER AS MY FAREWELL TO BASEBALL.

BUT I WASN'T ABLE TO THROW IT FAR ENOUGH, SO IT CAME BACK TO THE SHORE RIGHT AWAY
WITH MY SHOULDER, I COULDN'T EVEN THROW AWAY A GLOVE
OUT!!

I DID IT.
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NICE, DAIGO!
YOU DID IT!
DAIGO PINNED THEM DOWN.
HOW SURPRI-SING, IT'S BUNTING BUT IT'S A STRIKE RETURN TOSS
THREE OUTS, CHANGE

DAIGO-KUN HE BROKE THROUGH!
HE DID IT! DID YOU SEE HIM, DAIGO'S MUM?
THE WAY HIS HAT FELL WHILE HE WAS THROWING, HE TOOK AFTER HIS FATHER, RIGHT?
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THANK YOU VERY MUCH, SATOU-SAN
YOU MADE THAT CHILD HAVE CONFIDENCE IN HIMSELF, I'M REALLY GRATEFUL TO YOU
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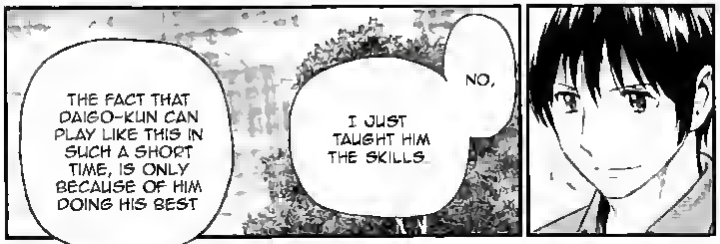
THE FACT THAT DAIGO-KUN CAN PLAY LIKE THIS IN SUCH A SHORT TIME, IS ONLY BECAUSE OF HIM DOING HIS BEST
NO,
I JUST TAUGHT HIM THE SKILLS

THIS WAY, I'M SURE HE'LL IMPROVE MUCH MORE IN THE FUTURE
T/N: TECHNICALLY HE SAYS WITH THIS ATTITUDE/APPROACH OF HIS HE WILL STILL IMPROVE MORE